#### **BILLS REFERRED TODAY**

## Friday March 26, 2021

# Committee referral on the following:

#### SJR 62 Hancock

Proposing a constitutional amendment providing for the creation of the State Utilities Reliability Fund and the State Utilities Reliability Revenue Fund to provide financial support for projects that enhance the reliability of water, electricity, natural gas and broadband utilities in this state.

**Business & Commerce** 

## SJR 63 Springer

Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation by a school district a portion of the appraised value of an individual's residence homestead.

**Finance** 

#### SJR 64 Gutierrez

Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for the issuance of general obligation bonds to support the development of public telecommunications and information services infrastructure in this state.

**Business & Commerce** 

#### SJR 65 Powell

Proposing a constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to provide for a credit against the ad valorem taxes imposed by a school district on the residence homesteads of certain educators who purchase school supplies.

Finance

## SJR 66 Miles

Proposing a constitutional amendment prohibiting slavery and involuntary servitude.

**State Affairs** 

## SJR 67 Springer/ Bettencourt/ Creighton/ Hughes/ Nichols/ et al.

Proposing a constitutional amendment prohibiting the enactment of a law that imposes a tax on certain transactions that either convey a security or involve specified derivative contracts.

Finance

## SJR 68 Bettencourt/ Menéndez

Proposing a constitutional amendment exempting this state from daylight saving time.

**State Affairs** 

## SB 1691 Miles

Relating to civil and criminal liability for doxing; creating an offense.

**Criminal Justice** 

# SB 1692 Miles

Relating to the provision of home dialysis care by a dialysis technician.

**Health & Human Services** 

## SB 1693 Paxton/ Hughes

Relating to the program requiring dyslexia screening and testing in public schools.

Education

## SB 1694 Paxton

Relating to a student's eligibility for special education services provided by a school district.

Education

#### SB 1695 Paxton

Relating to online courses and programs offered by a public school, including courses and programs offered through the state virtual school network.

Education

#### SB 1696 Paxton

Relating to establishing a system for the sharing of information regarding cyber attacks or other cybersecurity incidents occurring in schools in this state.

**Education** 

## SB 1697 Paxton

Relating to allowing parents and guardians to elect for a student to repeat or retake a course or grade.

Education

#### SB 1698 Paxton/ Bettencourt

Relating to a franchise or insurance premium tax credit for contributions made to certain educational assistance organizations.

Education

## SB 1699 Hughes

Relating to the protection of expressive rights of student organizations at public institutions of higher education.

**State Affairs** 

#### SB 1700 Bettencourt

Relating to the cancellation of a person's voter registration on notice that the person has acknowledged that the person is not a citizen.

**State Affairs** 

## SB 1701 Creighton

Relating to certain bonds issued by public institutions of higher education in this state to acquire, purchase, construct, improve, renovate, enlarge, or equip the property, buildings, structures, or facilities of or the related infrastructure for those institutions.

**Higher Education** 

## SB 1702 Blanco

Relating to course requirements for public high school students and a requirement to collect and report information regarding endorsements earned by public school students.

Education

## SB 1703 Blanco

Relating to continuing education for public school counselors and the provision of postsecondary counseling by certain counselors at public schools.

Education

# SB 1704 Blanco

Relating to the designation of the portion of United States Highway 54 in El Paso County as the Korean War Veterans Memorial Highway.

**Transportation** 

#### SB 1705 Blanco

Relating to continuing education requirements for physicians and nurses regarding human trafficking.

**Health & Human Services** 

## SB 1706 Blanco

Relating to an appraisal procedure for disputed losses under personal automobile insurance policies.

**Business & Commerce** 

# SB 1707 Blanco

Relating to certain group health care benefits and the promotion of telehealth services for certain persons who are eligible for Medicaid or the child health plan program.

# **Health & Human Services**

# SB 1708 Blanco

Relating to the entitlement of certain military veterans to obtain a nursing license by examination.

# **Veteran Affairs & Border Security**

### SB 1709 Blanco/ Menéndez

Relating to promoting racial equity in the hiring and promotion of faculty members by public institutions of higher education.

**Higher Education** 

### SB 1710 Springer

Relating to small business recovery funds and insurance tax credits for certain investments in those funds; imposing a monetary penalty; authorizing fees.

**Finance** 

# SB 1711 Springer

Relating to state and local taxes and fees; imposing a tax; imposing fees.

Finance

## SB 1712 Springer

Relating to sales and use taxes on e-cigarettes and nicotine products; imposing taxes.

**Finance** 

### **SB 1713** Hall

Relating to the elimination of regular mandatory vehicle safety inspections and the imposition of replacement fees.

**Natural Resources & Economic Development** 

#### **SB 1714** West

Relating to the Texas Community Reinvestment Act; authorizing a fee.

**Business & Commerce** 

## SB 1715 Hughes

Relating to the provision of certain co-navigation services to persons who are deaf-blind.

**Health & Human Services** 

#### SB 1716 Taylor

Relating to a supplemental special education services and instructional materials program for certain public school students receiving special education services.

**Education** 

### SB 1717 Hughes

Relating to subpoenas, orders, and warrants for the disclosure of location information, electronic customer communications records, and electronic customer data and for the use of pen registers, ESN readers, cell site simulators, and mobile tracking devices; creating a criminal offense.

**Criminal Justice** 

# SB 1718 Hughes

Relating to provisions to enable the prevention and prosecution of trafficking of persons and certain sexual offenses committed against children and to the commission of civil racketeering related to the trafficking of persons.

Jurisprudence

# SB 1719 Hall/ et al.

Relating to appellate jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission regarding certain water or sewer utility fees.

Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs

## SB 1720 Eckhardt

Relating to imposing an additional fee for the registration of electric and hybrid vehicles.

Transportation

## SB 1721 Eckhardt

Relating to the management of wildlife and wildlife habitat by a home-rule municipality; authorizing a fee.

**Local Government** 

#### SB 1722 Eckhardt

Relating to expanding access to women's health care services and family planning services by removing restrictions on the participation of certain health care providers.

#### **Health & Human Services**

### SB 1723 Eckhardt

Relating to recommendations made by the Parks and Wildlife Department and intervention by the Parks and Wildlife Department in matters regarding certain permits.

Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs

#### SB 1724 Eckhardt

Relating to building codes applicable in the unincorporated areas of a county; authorizing a fee.

**Business & Commerce** 

## SB 1725 Eckhardt

Relating to the prosecution of the offense of sexual assault.

**Criminal Justice** 

#### SB 1726 Eckhardt

Relating to the computation of the unemployment tax rate paid by certain employers; making an appropriation.

## **Natural Resources & Economic Development**

#### SB 1727 Nichols

Relating to local government corporations created for the development, construction, operation, management, or financing of transportation projects.

#### **Transportation**

## SB 1728 Schwertner/ Nichols/ Powell

Relating to the equalization for road use consumption for alternatively fueled vehicles imposed at the time of registration or registration renewal; authorizing a fee.

# **Transportation**

# SB 1729 Springer

Relating to the role of the secretary of state in elections.

**State Affairs** 

# SB 1730 Springer

Relating to a moratorium on certain election practices and procedures.

**State Affairs** 

# SB 1731 Springer

Relating to election integrity; creating a criminal offense; increasing a criminal penalty.

**State Affairs** 

## SB 1732 Zaffirini

Relating to the reporting of political expenditures made with a credit card in a political report.

**State Affairs** 

# SB 1733 Hall

Relating to recreational vehicle rental communities.

**Local Government** 

#### SB 1734 Springer

Relating to the enforcement of certain federal laws regulating oil and gas operations within the State of Texas

### **Natural Resources & Economic Development**

#### SB 1735 Springer

Relating to the eligibility of a person to serve on the appraisal review board of certain appraisal districts.

## **Local Government**

## SB 1736 Springer

Relating to the titling, registration, and operation of an autocycle.

# Transportation

### SB 1737 Springer

Relating to the rules of the road regarding red signals at certain traffic-controls signals.

## **Transportation**

## SB 1738 Springer

Relating to a prohibition on the purchase of periodicals by a state agency.

Administration

## SB 1739 Zaffirini

Relating to procedures regarding defendants who are or may be persons with a mental illness or intellectual disability.

## **Criminal Justice**

#### SB 1740 Zaffirini

Relating to the inclusion of civics education in public schools, including continuing education requirements on civics education for certain classroom teachers.

#### Education

#### SB 1741 Birdwell

Relating to pretrial procedures, conditions for community supervision, and criminal punishment for conduct endangering the public safety; creating a criminal offense and increasing criminal penalties.

#### **Criminal Justice**

#### SB 1742 Whitmire

Relating to extreme risk protective orders; creating criminal offenses.

#### **State Affairs**

#### SB 1743 Zaffirini

Relating to the enforcement of parking privileges for people with disabilities; authorizing a reimbursement fee.

#### **Transportation**

#### SB 1744 Zaffirini

Relating to the services provided by a colonia self-help center.

#### **Local Government**

# SB 1745 Zaffirini

Relating to the creation of a joint interim committee to study colonias and colonia initiatives in this state.

## **Local Government**

## SB 1746 Zaffirini

Relating to financial assistance provided to political subdivisions by the Texas Water Development Board for nature-based water quality enhancement projects.

## Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs

## SB 1747 Zaffirini

Relating to a restriction on permits authorizing direct discharges of waste or pollutants into water in certain stream segments or assessment units.

# Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs

## SB 1748 Buckingham

Relating to operating requirements for farm mutual insurance companies related to insurance in force on rural property.

# **Business & Commerce**

## SB 1749 Hancock

Relating to the eligibility and designation of certain gas entities and gas facilities as critical during an energy emergency.

# **Business & Commerce**

## SB 1750 Hancock

Relating to coordinating severe weather preparedness in critical electric and natural gas infrastructure; authorizing an administrative penalty.

# **Business & Commerce**

#### SB 1751 Johnson

Relating to improvements to access to health care in this state, including increased access to and scope of coverage under health benefit plans and Medicaid, and to improvements in health outcomes; authorizing an assessment; imposing penalties.

#### **Business & Commerce**

## SB 1752 Johnson

Relating to the authority of an advanced practice registered nurse or physician assistant, or physician, regarding death certificates and certain do-not-resuscitate orders.

#### **Health & Human Services**

## SB 1753 Johnson

Relating to low income housing tax credits administered by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.

#### **Local Government**

#### SB 1754 Johnson

Relating to information provided by health care providers and hospitals to certain patients regarding pharmaceutical manufacturer patient assistance programs for insulin.

#### **Health & Human Services**

## SB 1755 Johnson

Relating to license application procedures prescribed by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners for certain insurance adjusters.

#### **Business & Commerce**

## SB 1756 Johnson

Relating to the payment of insurance deductibles and release of insurance proceeds to contractors for property insurance claims.

#### **Business & Commerce**

#### SB 1757 Hancock

Relating to securitizing costs of electric services or electric markets.

## **Business & Commerce**

# SB 1758 Zaffirini

Relating to reenrollment of certain retirees in the Texas Public School Employees Group Insurance Program.

## Education

## SB 1759 Zaffirini

Relating to a study on potential improvements to training provided to 9-1-1 emergency service call takers and dispatchers.

## **Criminal Justice**

# SB 1760 Zaffirini

Relating to the issuance of a citation or written notice to appear to a person charged with the offense of driving while license invalid.

# **Criminal Justice**

## SB 1761 Zaffirini

Relating to the filing of certain reports of political contributions and expenditures.

### **State Affairs**

# SB 1762 Springer

Relating to the establishment of the Texas Police Service Animals Memorial Monument in the Capitol Complex.

#### Administration

# SB 1763 Springer

Relating to the composition of the Governor's EMS and Trauma Advisory Council.

# **Health & Human Services**

# SB 1764 Bettencourt

Relating to the payment of delinquent ad valorem taxes on property subject to a tax sale.

#### **Local Government**

#### SB 1765 Bettencourt

Relating to the procedure for making any change from any voting standard, practice, or procedure authorized by the Election Code.

**State Affairs** 

### **SB 1766** Hall

Relating to the impoundment of certain motor vehicles involved in the commission of the offense of racing on a highway.

**Criminal Justice** 

# SB 1767 Hinojosa

Relating to the terms of appointed members of boards and commissions in certain counties.

**Local Government** 

## SB 1768 Hinojosa

Relating to the knowledge test required for a commercial driver's license.

**Transportation** 

# SB 1769 Hinojosa

Relating to the authorization of dual certification of convenience and necessity for water and sewer service in incorporated or annexed areas.

**Local Government** 

#### SB 1770 Paxton

Relating to the use of certain titles by a structural engineer.

**Business & Commerce** 

### SB 1771 Paxton

Relating to the assumption by the office of the secretary of state of the powers and duties relating to driver's licenses, personal identification certificates, and other related programs, powers, and duties and to the provision of some of those services by certain vendors; authorizing a fee.

**State Affairs** 

# SB 1772 Zaffirini

Relating to the establishment of the Texas Pollinator-Smart program for solar energy sites.

Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs

## SB 1773 Zaffirini

Relating to renaming the Center for Elimination of Disproportionality and Disparities to the office of health equity and to the duties of that office.

**Health & Human Services** 

# SB 1774 Alvarado/ Gutierrez/ Hinojosa/

**Huffman/ Nichols** 

Relating to the conveyance of certain real property by certain navigation districts.

Ports, Select

## SB 1775 Whitmire

Relating to criminal justice.

**Criminal Justice** 

# SB 1776 Campbell

Relating to the inclusion of an elective course on the founding principles of the United States in the curriculum for public high school students and the posting of the founding documents of the United States in public school buildings.

Education

## SB 1777 Hancock

Relating to credit for reinsurance governed by certain covered agreements and ceded to certain assuming insurers.

# **Business & Commerce**

#### SB 1778 Perry

Relating to the production and regulation of hemp and consumable hemp products; providing administrative penalties; imposing and authorizing fees; creating a criminal offense.

#### **Business & Commerce**

# SB 1779 Creighton

Relating to prohibiting certain contracts or agreements between a public institution of higher education and a Confucius Institute.

## **Higher Education**

## SB 1780 Creighton

Relating to the establishment of the Texas Epidemic Public Health Institute.

#### **Higher Education**

# SB 1781 Creighton

Relating to the accrual of a cause of action for purposes of certain laws governing certain construction liability claims.

## **State Affairs**

# SB 1782 Creighton

Relating to the response and resilience of certain utilities to major weather-related events or natural disasters.

#### **Business & Commerce**

### SB 1783 Creighton

Relating to a fee collected by a landlord in lieu of a security deposit.

#### **Business & Commerce**

## SB 1784 Creighton

Relating to the effect of municipal annexation of territory in the City of Conroe Municipal Management District No. 3.

#### **Local Government**

## SB 1785 Taylor

Relating to grants available to school districts and open-enrollment charter schools to provide services to students after a disaster in the state of Texas; an adjustment to prevent generational educational decline under the public school finance system; and ensure maintenance of effort.

#### **Education**

### SB 1786 Taylor

Relating to the contributions to the Teacher Retirement System of Texas and supplemental funding for public schools.

#### **Finance**

## SB 1787 Gutierrez

Relating to the reporting of Hotel Occupancy Tax to local jurisdictions.

# **Natural Resources & Economic Development**

# SB 1788 Gutierrez/ Alvarado

Relating to the distribution of emergency health resources by the state.

## **Health & Human Services**

#### SB 1789 Gutierrez

Relating to the required minutes of service during each school day for a classroom teacher in public schools.

### **Education**

## SB 1790 Gutierrez

Relating to restricting the written information a public school teacher is required to provide in a lesson plan.

## **Education**

## SB 1791 Lucio

Relating to the investment and use of excess residential mortgage loan originator recovery fund fees; changing a fee.

**Business & Commerce** 

SB 1792 West

Relating to a leave pool for school district employees.

Education

SB 1793 West

Relating to the eligibility of certain children who are enrolled in a child care services program administered by the Texas Workforce Commission for free prekindergarten programs in public schools.

Education

SB 1794 West

Relating to a statewide opioid settlement agreement.

**Finance** 

SB 1795 West

Relating to simplified certification and recertification requirements for certain persons under the supplemental nutrition assistance program.

**Health & Human Services** 

SB 1796 West

Relating to the fee for emergency medical services in certain municipalities.

**Local Government** 

**SB 1797** West

Relating to access by an institution of higher education to the TexShare library consortium.

**Higher Education** 

SB 1798 West

Relating to adjustment of the average daily attendance for school districts providing additional half-day instruction for certain students.

Education

SB 1799 West

Relating to the creation of a broadband Internet connectivity and broadband access grant program to facilitate instruction and learning for public school students.

**Transportation** 

SB 1800 West

Relating to the provision of child care.

**Health & Human Services** 

SB 1801 Zaffirini

Relating to improper unemployment compensation benefits refunded by a claimant to the Texas Workforce Commission.

**Natural Resources & Economic Development** 

SB 1802 Zaffirini

Relating to road specifications and safety standards for access to a solid waste facility.

**Natural Resources & Economic Development** 

SB 1803 Johnson

Relating to the municipal sales and use tax for street maintenance; authorizing an increase in the rate of a tax.

**Finance** 

SB 1804 Johnson

Relating to use of Texas emissions reduction plan funds for a small non-road engine purchase incentive program.

**Natural Resources & Economic Development** 

SB 1805 Johnson

Relating to municipal civil service for fire fighters and police officers.

**Local Government** 

SB 1806 Johnson

Relating to the creation of the Task Force on Prevention and Investigation of Violent Crime.

**Criminal Justice** 

SB 1807 Johnson

Relating to the creation of the Texas Health Insurance Exchange and an exchange reinsurance program.

**Business & Commerce** 

SB 1808 Kolkhorst

Relating to home and community support services licensing requirements.

**Health & Human Services** 

SB 1809 Hancock

Relating to the enforcement of insurance laws, including laws governing the unauthorized business of insurance; authorizing administrative penalties.

**Business & Commerce** 

SB 1810 Hancock

Relating to the licensing and regulation of insurance professionals.

**Business & Commerce** 

SB 1811 Springer

Relating to Firefighters Enrolled in Fire Science Courses

**Higher Education** 

SB 1812 Springer

Relating to the use of competitive sealed proposals for certain construction projects.

**Business & Commerce** 

SB 1813 Springer

Relating to the universal service fund.

**Business & Commerce** 

SB 1814 Seliger

Relating to oversize and overweight vehicle permits.

**Transportation** 

SB 1815 Seliger

Relating to motor vehicle size and weight limitations.

Transportation

SB 1816 Seliger

Relating to certain temporary vehicle permits and tags.

**Transportation** 

SB 1817 Seliger

Relating to motor vehicle titles.

**Transportation** 

SB 1818 Zaffirini

Relating to a defense under the Solid Waste Disposal Act for persons engaged in certain scrap metal recycling transactions.

**Natural Resources & Economic Development** 

SB 1819 Bettencourt

Relating to procedures for and the consequences of the dishonorable discharge of certain peace officers; creating a criminal offense.

Jurisprudence

SB 1820 Bettencourt

Relating to the promotion of off-label uses of certain drugs, biological products, and devices.

**Health & Human Services** 

#### SB 1821 Huffman

Relating to contingent fee contracts for legal services.

Jurisprudence

## SB 1823 Huffman

Relating to the contributions to and benefits under the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

**Finance** 

## SB 1824 Springer

Relating to the regulation of security measures by a property owners' association.

**Business & Commerce** 

# SB 1825 Springer

Relating to the approval of certain private or independent institutions of higher education to participate in the tuition equalization grant program.

**Higher Education** 

## SB 1826 Springer

Relating to the establishment of the Texas Competency-Based Education Grant Program for certain students enrolled in competency-based baccalaureate degree programs and to formula funding and dropped and repeated course restrictions for students enrolled in those degree programs at public institutions of higher education.

### **Higher Education**

## SB 1827 Huffman/ Nelson

Relating to the creation of the opioid abatement account.

**Finance** 

#### SB 1828 Birdwell

Relating to the movement of certain vehicles transporting steel products made in the United States; authorizing a fee.

**Transportation** 

## SB 1829 Hinojosa

Relating to the electronic Medicaid recipient directories maintained by Medicaid managed care organizations.

**Health & Human Services** 

## SB 1830 Taylor

Relating to the powers of property owners' associations relating to restrictive covenants in certain subdivisions.

**Local Government** 

# SB 1831 Taylor

Relating to the increase of penalties for those who engage in the crime of solicitation or trafficking on school premises.

**Criminal Justice** 

## SB 1832 Eckhardt/ Whitmire

Relating to the prosecution of the criminal offense of indecency with a child.

**Criminal Justice** 

# SB 1833 Eckhardt

Relating to post-release housing for inmates released on parole or to mandatory supervision.

**Criminal Justice** 

#### SB 1834 Eckhardt

Relating to a database of employers penalized for failure to pay wages or convicted of certain criminal offenses involving wage theft.

## **Natural Resources & Economic Development**

### SB 1835 Eckhardt

Relating to the statute of limitations applicable to a complaint filed with the Texas Workforce Commission regarding an unlawful employment practice.

## **Natural Resources & Economic Development**

#### SB 1836 Eckhardt

Relating to the vote required to release certain inmates on parole.

**Criminal Justice** 

## SB 1837 Eckhardt

Relating to authorizing an optional county fee on vehicle registration in certain counties to be used for transportation projects.

**Transportation** 

#### SB 1838 Eckhardt

Relating to the modification of a 99-year lease of certain state property.

**Transportation** 

#### SB 1839 Eckhardt

Relating to establishing an advisory board to study the creation of an entity to facilitate the certification, buying, and selling of carbon capture and sequestration credits.

**Natural Resources & Economic Development** 

#### SB 1840 Eckhardt

Relating to the system for appraising property for ad valorem tax purposes.

**Finance** 

#### SB 1841 Eckhardt

Relating to the school district property value study conducted by the comptroller of public accounts.

Finance

#### SB 1842 Eckhardt

Relating to the possession of property to be acquired by eminent domain during pending litigation in a condemnation proceeding.

**State Affairs** 

## SB 1843 Eckhardt

Relating to the weather preparedness of facilities for providing electric service.

**Business & Commerce** 

# SB 1844 Eckhardt

Relating to the collection and reporting of certain information regarding mental health jail diversion.

**Criminal Justice** 

## SB 1845 Schwertner

Relating to itemized billing for health care services and supplies provided by health care providers.

**Business & Commerce** 

## SB 1846 Zaffirini

Relating to the registration and regulation of health clubs.

**Business & Commerce** 

# SB 1847 Powell

Relating to training requirements for certain individuals for inclusion in the nurse aide registry.

**Health & Human Services** 

### SB 1848 Powell

Relating to law enforcement policies for peace officer response to certain family violence offenses.

**Criminal Justice** 

## SB 1849 Powell

Relating to a model suicide prevention policy, the incorporation of suicide prevention and intervention strategies in a crisis plan or disaster plan of certain state agencies, access to suicide death information maintained by the Department of State Health Services, and the establishment of the Texas Violent Death Reporting System.

## **Health & Human Services**

#### SB 1850 Powell

Relating to a credit against the ad valorem taxes imposed by a school district on the residence homesteads of certain educators who purchase school supplies.

**Finance** 

### SB 1851 Powell

Relating to the use of municipal hotel occupancy tax revenue by certain municipalities.

## **Natural Resources & Economic Development**

#### SB 1852 Powell

Relating to the eligibility of certain physicians to provide and receive remuneration for workers' compensation health care services.

#### **Business & Commerce**

#### SB 1853 Powell

Relating to a temporary exemption from sales and use taxes for certain personal protective equipment. **Finance** 

#### SB 1854 Powell

Relating to an appeal through binding arbitration of an appraisal review board order determining a protest concerning a residence homestead for which the property owner has elected to defer the collection of ad valorem taxes.

#### **Local Government**

#### SB 1855 Powell

Relating to a survey developed and administered by the Texas Education Agency prior to assessment instruments.

#### **Education**

### SB 1856 Powell

Relating to certain vocational nursing students providing essential services during a declared state of disaster.

## **Health & Human Services**

## SB 1857 Powell

Relating to the issuance of temporary licenses for certain out-of-state health care practitioners for a charitable purpose.

## **Health & Human Services**

## SB 1858 Powell

Relating to a study and pilot program to evaluate the provision of prenatal and well child care in a group clinical setting and authority to take related action.

# **Health & Human Services**

# SB 1859 Powell

Relating to regulating the servicing of certain student loans, requiring the occupational licensing of certain student loan servicers, and the designation of a student loan ombudsman within the Texas Department of Banking; authorizing fees; authorizing civil and administrative penalties.

## **Business & Commerce**

### SB 1860 Powell

Relating to creating an electronic application system for state student financial assistance.

## **Higher Education**

### SB 1861 Powell

Relating to the eligibility of certain groups or associations that include self-employed individuals to participate in a multiple employer welfare arrangement.

# **Business & Commerce**

## SB 1862 Powell

Relating to the creation of a task force by the commissioner of education on students residing in temporary living arrangements.

# Education

#### SB 1863 Powell

Relating to the regulation of elevator mechanics and contractors; requiring an occupational registration.

**Business & Commerce** 

### SB 1864 Powell

Relating to the eligibility of certain telecommunicators for workers' compensation and other benefits.

**Business & Commerce** 

#### SB 1865 West

Relating to an annual permit for certain equipment used to apply paint to roadways; authorizing a fee.

**Transportation** 

### SB 1866 West

Relating to the consideration of a subsequent writ of habeas corpus in certain felony cases.

**Criminal Justice** 

#### **SB 1867** West

Relating to the issuance and execution of certain search warrants in a criminal investigation and the admissibility of evidence obtained through certain searches.

**Criminal Justice** 

## SB 1868 Miles

Relating to prohibiting discrimination against living organ donors by certain insurers.

**Business & Commerce** 

### **SB 1869** Miles

Relating to the election of trustees of certain school districts.

**Education** 

#### SB 1870 Miles

Relating to the date on which an election for trustees of certain school districts must be held.

Education

## **SB 1871 Miles**

Relating to penalties for violating certain county and municipal regulations regarding the operation of a boarding home facility; imposing a civil penalty; creating a criminal offense.

**Local Government** 

# SB 1872 Miles

Relating to the eligibility of certain criminal defendants for an order of nondisclosure of criminal history record information for certain past misdemeanors and felonies.

**Criminal Justice** 

## SB 1873 Creighton

Relating to fees of office payable to directors of certain municipal management districts.

**Local Government** 

## SB 1874 Miles

Relating to the duty of a county clerk to send a copy of a recorded deed to the grantor.

**Business & Commerce** 

# SB 1875 Miles

Relating to a requirement for a deed to include a statement regarding certain fraudulent conveyances or recordings.

**Business & Commerce** 

# SB 1876 Miles/ Huffman

Relating to requiring an emergency operation plan for continued treatment of patients in an end stage renal disease facility in the event of a disaster and the prioritization of power restoration for those facilities during certain disasters.

## **Health & Human Services**

## SB 1877 Johnson

Relating to birth records of adopted persons; authorizing a fee.

Jurisprudence

#### SB 1878 Zaffirini

Relating to the authority of certain counties to cancel platted subdivisions that have remained undeveloped.

#### **Local Government**

## SB 1879 Bettencourt/ Hall/ Paxton

Relating to the authorization and reporting of expenditures for lobbying activities by certain political subdivisions and other public entities.

## **Local Government**

## SB 1880 Bettencourt

Relating to the renewal of local disaster declarations.

#### **Local Government**

## SB 1881 Buckingham

Relating to the applicability of the prohibition on governmental entities adopting certain regulations governing the use of certain building products, materials, or methods.

#### **Business & Commerce**

## SB 1882 Buckingham

Relating to the applicability of the prohibition on governmental entities adopting certain regulations governing the use of certain building products, materials, or methods.

#### **Business & Commerce**

## SB 1883 Buckingham

Relating to preauthorization and utilization review for certain health benefit plans.

#### **Business & Commerce**

#### SB 1884 Whitmire

Relating to postconviction forensic DNA testing.

**Criminal Justice** 

## SB 1885 Campbell

Relating to open meetings of governmental bodies.

## **Business & Commerce**

#### SB 1886 Campbell

Relating to the manner in which an individual who has elected to defer collection of a tax, abate a suit to collect delinquent tax, or abate a sale to foreclose a tax lien on the individual's residence homestead is listed on the delinquent tax roll of a taxing unit.

# **Local Government**

## SB 1887 Seliger

Relating to the repeal of certain provisions governing the establishment and administration of a state bullion

#### **Finance**

## SB 1888 Creighton

Relating to the establishment of certain programs to facilitate early high school graduation and enrollment at public institutions of higher education and to the repeal of the Early High School Graduation Scholarship program.

## **Higher Education**

# SB 1889 Creighton

Relating to curriculum requirements in American and Texas history at institutions of higher education.

# **Higher Education**

# SB 1890 Creighton

Relating to the applicability of uniform grant and contract management standards to certain Texas Water Development Board programs.

# Water, Agriculture & Rural Affairs

# SB 1891 Creighton

Relating to the effect of municipal annexation of territory in the Roman Forest Public Utility District No. 3.

#### **Local Government**

## SB 1892 Creighton

Relating to the creation of the Lake Houston Dredging and Maintenance District; providing the authority to issue bonds; providing authority to impose assessments and fees.

## **Local Government**

#### **SB 1893** Miles

Relating to the release on bail of a person charged with a violation of parole or mandatory supervision. **Jurisprudence** 

## SB 1894 Creighton

Relating to a limitation on the use of certain unsubstantiated information relating to peace officer misconduct.

## Jurisprudence

#### SB 1895 Huffman

Relating to a Texas Medical Board complaint for a violation described by Section 22.011(b)(12), Penal Code.

#### **Health & Human Services**

#### SB 1896 Kolkhorst

Relating to the regulation of child-care facilities.

## **Health & Human Services**

#### SB 1897 West

Relating to the appointment of attorneys ad litem for children in the managing conservatorship of this state and funding those attorneys ad litem through an instant-ticket lottery.

#### **State Affairs**

#### SB 1898 West

Relating to global and cultural studies instruction and mandatory graduation requirements in public schools.

## **Education**

#### SB 1899 Zaffirini

Relating to elections.

**State Affairs** 

### SB 1900 Zaffirini

Relating to the regulatory authority of the savings and mortgage lending commissioner; authorizing fees.

# **Business & Commerce**

## SB 2026 Taylor

Relating to instruction in informed patriotism in public schools.

#### Education